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Title: GLUTAMATE TRANSPORTER ASSOCIATED PROTEINS AND  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed November 26, 2003 (Paper No. 12),  
reconsideration of the application in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2  
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Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

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